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ABSTRACT

In the final report on the lichens and air quality in the White Mt. National Forest Wilderness areas (Wetmore, 1989) it was recommended that a restudy of the elemental analysis of lichens be done every five years. This report is on the first restudy done in 1993.

In this study five species of lichens were collected during August, 1993 at the same localities as in the previous study. The methods used were the same as in the previous study.

The results of this study showed similar or slightly lower levels of most elements in most species. ANOVA and pairwise comparisons by statistical analysis showed significantly lower levels in 1993 than 1988. No one locality had consistently higher levels of accumulation. The elemental levels in the White Mt. wilderness areas were lower than in the Lye Brook Wilderness of the Green Mt. National Forest. It is concluded that there probably has been no degradation in the air quality in the wilderness and there might have been a slight improvement in the air quality. The recommendation is made that the periodic five-year restudy of elemental analysis be continued.

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INTRODUCTION

Lichens are able to accumulate chemical elements in the excess of their metabolic needs depending on the levels in the substrate and air and, since lichens are slow growing and long lived, they serve as good summarizers of the environmental conditions in which they are growing. Chemical analysis of the thallus of lichens growing in areas of high fallout of certain elements will show elevated levels in the thallus. Toxic substances (such as sulfur) are also accumulated and determination of the levels of these toxic elements can provide indications of sub-lethal but elevated levels in the air (Wetmore, 1989).

During 1988 a complete study of lichens and air quality was done in the Presidential Dry River and the Great Gulf Wilderness Areas, including a species list and elemental analysis of four species at five localities. The report showed no elevated accumulation of elements at any locality.

During August, 1993 all five of the elemental analysis localities used in the earlier study were revisited for new collections. One lichen species was added in the study for a better comparison with other regional studies (Wetmore, 1984, 1985, 1992, 1995).

METHODS

Methods used in the present study were the same as those of the original study (Wetmore, 1989).

All five of the previous localities were again sampled in August, 1993 (Fig. 1). At each locality a bag of each species was collected from branches of conifers. Lichens were cleaned but not washed. Three replicates were obtained from each bag of each species for each locality. Multi-element analysis was

by ICP and sulfur by infra red absorption. In the original study four species were analyzed (<u>Cladina rangiferina</u>, <u>Cladina stygia</u>, <u>Evernia mesomorpha</u>, and <u>Hypogymnia physodes</u>). In the present study Parmelia sulcata was added to provide a better comparison with other regional studies.

RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

Table 1 gives the results of the analysis for all replicates arranged by species. Table 2 gives the means and standard deviations for each set of replicates. All reported values were above the lower detection limits of the instruments. Analytical splits were made from some samples and are indicated by "@" in the tables. In these analytical splits the lichens were ground and mixed before being divided into replicates to determine the instrument error. Table 3 gives the values from the 1988 samples and the 1993 samples arranged by species and locality.

One additional species (<u>Parmelia sulcata</u>) was included in the present study because it has been used in the Green Mt. study and other studies at Isle Royale National Park (Wetmore, 1985), Voyageurs National Park (Wetmore, 1984), and Grand Portage National Monument (Wetmore, 1992). Mean values for this species from the Green Mt. study (Wetmore, 1995) are included in Table 3.

STATISTICAL ANALYSIS

Introduction

Generally, one bag of lichens was collected from a site, cleaned, separated into groups (with different individuals in the groups), ground, and analyzed for chemical constituents. In approximately 10% of the samples an composite sample was prepared and ground before being subsampled (=analytical splits). The samples from Lye Brook Wilderness were submitted with those from White Mt. 1993 study. In addition, data from the same species from two relatively clean localities in northern Minnesota (NE of Tofte and Mt. Rose) are included for comparison. This statistical analysis discussion also includes the pertinent parts of the analysis done on the Green Mt. study data.

The data were log-transformed to make them more normal, prior to extracting the principal components. The principal components do a good job of describing the data, with the first component explaining 70% of the variability in the data, and the second component explaining an additional 8% of

Table 1. Analysis of White Mt. Lichens - 1993 Values in ppm of thallus dry weight

Species	P ł	< Ca	Mg	Al	Fe	Na	Mn	Zn	Cu	В	Pl	b N	li Cı	Cd	l S		Locality
C. rangiferina	508	1516	330	184	145	107	25.7	64.	3 16	.4	1.3	0.6	1.5	0.4	0.2	0.2	460 Rky. Br. Ridge
C. rangiferina		1456	332														
C. rangiferina	539	1638	329	186	168	122	29.3	57.	3 16	.6	1.5	0.6	1.8	0.5	0.2	0.1	
C. rangiferina	547	1586	301	184	154	116	21.9	62.	8 16	.4	1.4	0.5	1.7	0.4	0.2	0.1	510 Rky. Br. Ridge @
C. rangiferina	535	1562	303	185	152	114	21.4	64.	4 15	.6	1.4	0.5	1.6	0.4	0.2	0.1	
C. rangiferina	590	1679	319	199	166	128	22.8	67.	9 16	.5	1.5	0.6	1.9	0.5	0.2	0.1	500 Rky. Br. Ridge @
C. rangiferina	305	1364	355	178	80	87	22.2	34.5	14.	7 1	.4 (0.4	1.7	0.4	0.2	0.1	480 Lows Bald Spot
C. rangiferina	266	1208	357	157	84	92	20.2	30.0	13.	6 1	.3 (0.4	1.8	0.5	0.2	0.1	480 Lows Bald Spot
C. rangiferina	332	1445	353	160	78	89	22.0	27.9	14.	2 1	.4 (0.5	1.8	0.4	0.1	0.1	490 Lows Bald Spot
C. rangiferina	309	1379	384	180	86	94	21.2	33.0	15.	4 1	.5 (0.5	1.9	0.5	0.2	0.1	510 Lows Bald Spot @
C. rangiferina	304	1375	376	181													500 Lows Bald Spot @
C. rangiferina	319	1407	382	182	92		22.8										
C. rangiferina	283	1139	212	138			16.2										
C. rangiferina	361	1527	309	161	93	96	19.5	142.0	13.	.9 1	1.4	0.5	2.1	0.3	0.2	0.1	460 NE Mt. Crawford
C. rangiferina	349	1360	285	151	99	99	19.2	129.	7 13.	.3 1	1.3	0.5	2.1	0.3	0.2	0.1	450 NE Mt. Crawford
C. rangiferina	324	1328	242	140	119	125	21.6	102	.9 1	3.4	1.3	0.5	2.4	1 0.4	0.3	0.1	1 460 NE Mt. Crawford @
C. rangiferina	326	1288	247	144	130	138	24.0	106	.0 1	3.3	1.4	0.5	2.7	7 0.5	0.3	0.1	1 430 NE Mt. Crawford @
C. rangiferina	325	1314	254	142	123	129	20.9	102	.3 1	3.4	1.4	0.5	2.6	0.4	0.3	0.1	1 490 NE Mt. Crawford @
C. rangiferina	327	1320	248	158	162	254	25.8	18	7 16	6.7	1.4	0.5	3.0	0.7	0.4	0.2	510 Mt. Eisenhower
C. rangiferina	308	1275	226	155	165	258	32.9	16.	8 16	8.8	1.5	0.5	3.5	0.7	0.4	0.2	480 Mt. Eisenhower
C. rangiferina	382	1394	324	157	136	203	23.7	21.	8 19).7	1.5	0.5	3.5	0.6	0.4	0.2	525 Mt. Eisenhower
C. rangiferina	524	2439	367	249	124	139	21.7	65	2 22	2.1	2.0	0.7	2.6	0.6	0.3	0.2	620 Wamsutta Tr.
C. rangiferina	471	2194	304	210	127	144	20.8	44.	2 18	.9	1.8	0.6	3.1	0.7	0.3	0.2	660 Wamsutta Tr.
C. rangiferina	516	2182	372	241	133	138	26.0	63.	9 21	.0	1.9	0.6	3.1	0.6	0.3	0.1	610 Wamsutta Tr.
C. stygia	564	2141	444	226	80	85	21.5	54.3	23.	3 1	.8 (0.6	3.4	0.6	0.2(0.1	630 Wamsutta Tr.
C. stygia		2425	386		-		23.1		22.								520 Wamsutta Tr.
C. stygia																	560 Wamsutta Tr.
E. mesomorph).3 960 Rky. Br. Ridge
E. mesomorph).2 810 Rky. Br. Ridge
E. mesomorph		63 209															0.2 910 Rky. Br. Ridge
E. mesomorph		23 160			79 1	85 2	02 3	1.6	29.6	37.	1 2	2.6 1	1.2 1	3.9	1.1	0.6	0.2 1130 Lows Bald Spot
E. mesomorph	<u>na</u> 3	27 154															0.2 1160 Lows Bald Spot
E. mesomorph		84 175															0.2 1050 Lows Bald Spot
E. mesomorph	_	97 137	-	-			12 30										0.2 1050 NE Mt. Crawford
E. mesomorph	_	88 132															0.1 970 NE Mt. Crawford
E. mesomorph	_	93 132					73 29										0.2 1010 NE Mt. Crawford
E. mesomorph	_	53 165		-	-	-	63 43										0.4 940 Mt. Eisenhower
E. mesomorph	<u>na</u> 4	20 162	29 28	6 2	30 2	98 4	21 42	2.3	22.4	38.	6 2	.8 0	.9 1	8.8	1.3(8.0	0.4 970 Mt. Eisenhower

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465 1733 323 243 321 403 35.4 20.8 37.9 3.4 1.0 20.6 1.5 0.8 0.4 1040 Mt. Eisenhower
               477 1884 802 232 197 212 37.6 44.9 33.2 2.4 1.6 5.9 0.8 0.5 0.3 1000 Wamsutta Tr.
E. mesomorpha
E. mesomorpha
               392 1720 728 202 182 187 35.5 28.4 35.5 2.2 1.5 6.4 0.8 0.5 0.2 1020 Wamsutta Tr.
E. mesomorpha 466 1734 333 218 245 275 49.9 22.4 35.3 2.6 1.4 7.1 1.0 0.6 0.3 1060 Wamsutta Tr.
H. physodes
              581 3070 5759 474 290 370 33.4 199.3 70.2 4.0 1.3 22.5 1.7 0.6 0.7 1030 Rky. Br. Ridge
              774 3824 5357 548 238 294 29.1 201.2 62.3 3.9 1.3 21.3 1.7 0.5 0.9 915 Rky Br. Ridge
H. physodes
              602 3174 6285 527 286 353 35.2 161.4 76.4 3.8 1.3 23.8 1.9 0.6 0.8 1040 Rky. Br. Ridge
H. physodes
H. physodes
              757 3173 6868 666 254 319 24.3 223.3 86.9 3.5 1.4 25.7 2.3 0.6 0.7 940 Lows Bald Spot
              652 3051 3986 573 265 343 23.5 214.2 74.1 3.7 1.3 26.1 2.4 0.7 0.5 830 Lows Bald Spot
H. physodes
              628 3074 4988 548 290 367 25.8 225.2 77.5 4.1 1.4 29.7 2.6 0.7 0.5 960 Lows Bald Spot
H. physodes
              548 2647 7256 451 259 345 39.2 334.4 80.2 4.0 1.5 30.3 1.7 0.7 0.7 1050 NE Mt. Crawford
H. physodes
              633 2711 7645 447 312 428 34.6 315.7 96.4 4.4 1.8 39.1 1.9 0.7 0.7 1050 NE Mt. Crawford
H. physodes
H. physodes
              848 3113 8995 478 277 365 39.5 325.9 85.2 4.0 1.7 31.9 1.9 0.7 0.7 1160 NE Mt. Crawford
              719 2846 6721 585 344 474 28.2 173.2 101.5 4.3 1.3 45.8 2.5 0.8 0.9 900 Mt. Eisenhower
H. physodes
H. physodes
              485 2183 19947 415 381 561 23.4 179.3 102.8 4.8 1.4 62.0 2.0 1.0 1.2 900 Mt. Eisenhower
H. physodes
             910 3476 5707 737 328 440 31.9 166.7 75.6 4.5 1.3 47.5 2.6 0.8 0.7 855 Mt. Eisenhower
H. physodes
              384 1606 10563 355 337 427 18.6 201.6 92.6 4.9 1.5 37.1 1.7 0.7 1.6 1020 Wamsutta Tr.
H. physodes
              417 1618 10559 333 406 492 24.5 148.0 97.9 5.4 1.6 38.4 1.9 0.8 1.5 1150 Wamsutta Tr.
H. physodes
              388 1750 14141 357 380 469 20.1 166.1 92.9 5.0 1.6 44.9 1.9 0.8 2.0 1170 Wamsutta Tr.
P. sulcata
           1702 4602 1239 444 365 409 31.5 147.6 87.5 5.4 2.5 24.0 1.8 0.7 0.4 1160 Rky, Br. Ridge
P. sulcata
           1332 3848 1149 372 415 462 33.0 114.6 77.0 6.0 2.4 34.5 2.1 0.7 0.5 1110 Rky, Br. Ridge
           1510 4239 1410 441 366 403 34.6 163.6 84.9 5.6 2.7 27.9 1.8 0.7 0.5 1200 Rky. Br. Ridge
P. sulcata
           1098 2917 2489 405 349 380 29.0 100.1 118.1 6.0 2.8 38.2 2.1 0.7 0.3 1010 Lows Bald Spot
P. sulcata
P. sulcata
            878 2509 2639 310 424 446 33.3 71.7 127.0 6.1 2.7 37.9 2.3 0.8 0.3 1080 Lows Bald Spot
P. sulcata
           1175 2980 2569 412 411 443 26.5 116.5 115.1 6.2 2.9 37.5 2.3 0.7 0.3 1050 Lows Bald Spot
P. sulcata
           1019 3066 1695 348 497 538 26.1 296.7 106.7 6.3 2.2 46.4 2.3 0.9 0.6 1050 NE Mt. Crawford
            942 3068 1647 363 501 540 27.4 297.7 116.8 6.5 2.3 46.1 2.3 0.9 0.6 1150 NE Mt. Crawford
P. sulcata
P. sulcata
            986 3005 1773 372 546 586 30.8 295.7 105.9 6.4 2.3 48.0 2.4 1.0 0.7 1090 NE Mt. Crawford
P. sulcata
           1249 2868 2015 420 430 454 36.0 160.4 125.7 6.4 2.8 32.8 2.1 0.9 0.7 1000 Mt. Eisenhower
P. sulcata
           1556 3425 2134 537 442 509 31.8 198.4 120.8 5.9 2.6 35.1 2.1 0.9 0.7 970 Mt. Eisenhower
P. sulcata
           1615 3737 2002 547 464 519 32.0 238.2 146.1 6.3 2.6 32.5 2.2 0.9 0.8 1040 Mt. Eisenhower
P. sulcata
            743 2288 1919 269 454 490 25.7 114.7 102.4 5.6 2.0 32.5 1.7 0.8 0.6 1040 Wamsutta Tr.
            611 1853 1933 259 526 572 24.9 119.6 103.2 5.9 2.3 35.3 1.9 0.9 0.7 990 Wamsutta Tr.
P. sulcata
P. sulcata
            616 1902 2165 278 580 616 25.9 160.5 115.7 5.9 2.6 35.1 2.0 1.0 0.8 1070 Wamsutta Tr.
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Standards

 Species
 P
 K
 Ca
 Mg
 Al
 Fe
 Na
 Mn
 Zn
 Cu
 B
 Pb
 Ni
 Cr
 Cd
 S
 Locality

 C. stellaris
 199
 699
 250
 275
 443
 597
 78.2
 20.7
 18.2
 2.8
 1.1
 13.1
 1.5
 1.5
 0.2
 440
 Lichen std.

 C. stellaris
 192
 669
 229
 263
 421
 567
 74.0
 19.7
 17.3
 2.4
 1.0
 13.1
 1.0
 0.2
 410
 Lichen std.

 NBS Peach
 1202
 3734
 4378
 1174
 459
 174
 17.4
 691.8
 67.4
 2.8
 17.3
 11.0
 1.5
 1.8
 0.2
 NA
 NBS Peach

 NBS Peach
 1191
 3728
 4406
 1182
 459
 179
 18.4
 691.5
 72.9
 2.9
 17.3
 11.3
 1.5
 1.9
 0.4
 NA
 NBS Peach

 NBS Peach
 1219
 3753
 4447
 1199
 465
 185
 18.7

Table 2. Summary of Analysis of White Mt. Lichens - 1993 Values in ppm of thallus dry weight

Cladina rangiferina

P K Ca Mg Al Fe Na Mn Zn Cu B Pb Ni Cr Cd S Locality

Mean 510 1536 330 182 161 119 26.7 62.1 16.3 1.4 0.6 1.7 0.4 0.2 0.1 497 Rky, Br, Ridge Std. Dev. 28 93 1 5 14 10 2.2 4.2 0.3 0.1 0.1 0.2 <.1 <.1 <.1 32 Rky. Br. Ridge Mean 557 1609 308 189 157 119 22.0 65.0 16.2 1.4 0.5 1.8 0.4 0.2 0.1 513 Rky. Br. Ridge @ Std. Dev. 29 62 10 9 8 7 0.7 2.6 0.5 0.1 0.1 0.1 <.1 <.1 <.1 15 Rky. Br. Ridge @ Mean 301 1339 355 165 81 89 21.5 30.8 14.2 1.3 0.4 1.8 0.5 0.2 0.1 483 Lows Bald Spot Std. Dev. 33 121 2 12 3 3 1.1 3.4 0.5 0.1 <.1 <.1 <.1 <.1 <.1 <.1 6 Lows Bald Spot 311 1387 380 181 88 98 22.0 32.2 15.2 1.5 0.5 1.9 0.5 0.2 0.1 520 Lows Bald Spot @ Std. Dev. 7 18 4 1 4 7 0.8 0.8 0.1 <.1 <.1 0.1 <.1 <.1 <.1 26 Lows Bald Spot @ 331 1342 269 150 109 113 18.3 119.5 13.5 1.3 0.5 2.4 0.4 0.2 0.1 463 NE Mt. Crawford Std. Dev. 42 194 50 12 22 26 1.8 28.9 0.3 <.1 <.1 0.5 0.1 0.1 <.1 15 NE Mt. Crawford 325 1310 248 142 124 130 22.2 103.7 13.4 1.4 0.5 2.6 0.4 0.3 0.1 460 NE Mt. Crawford @ Std. Dev. 1 20 6 2 6 7 1.6 2.0 0.1 <.1 <.1 0.1 <.1 <.1 30 NE Mt. Crawford @ 339 1330 266 157 154 238 27.5 19.1 17.7 1.5 0.5 3.3 0.7 0.4 0.2 505 Mt. Eisenhower Std. Dev. 38 60 51 2 16 31 4.8 2.5 1.7 < 1 < 1 0.3 < 1 < 1 < 1 23 Mt. Eisenhower Mean 504 2272 348 233 128 140 22.8 57.8 20.7 1.9 0.7 3.0 0.6 0.3 0.1 630 Wamsutta Tr. Std. Dev. 29 145 38 21 4 3 2.8 11.8 1.6 0.1 <.1 0.3 0.1 <.1 <.1 26 Wamsutta Tr.

Cladina stvaia

P K Ca Mg Al Fe Na Mn Zn Cu B Pb Ni Cr Cd S Locality

Mean 581 2204 401 218 75 80 21.5 48.0 21.9 1.7 0.6 2.9 0.5 0.2 0.1 570 Wamsutta Tr.

Std. Dev. 55 198 38 10 4 5 1.6 6.6 1.8 0.1 < 1 0.4 < 1 < 1 < 1 56 Wamsutta Tr.

Evernia mesomorpha

P K Ca Mg Al Fe Na Mn Zn Cu B Pb Ni Cr Cd S Locality

Mean 474 2082 595 231 151 156 44.4 8<.1 33.6 2.2 0.9 7.5 0.7 0.4 0.2 893 Rky. Br. Ridge Std. Dev. 15 114 74 11 8 8 6.2 11.5 1.6 0.1 0.1 0.8 0.1 <.1 <.1 76 Rky. Br. Ridge Mean 344 1634 347 179 189 206 36.1 28.0 36.4 2.6 1.2 14.9 1.1 0.5 0.2 1113 Low's Bald Spot Std. Dev. 34 111 9 8 10 14 4.4 2.4 1.1 <.1 0.1 3.0 <.1 <.1 <.1 57 Low's Bald Spot Mean 292 1342 286 138 172 189 30.1 54.3 32.8 2.1 1.1 12.8 0.8 0.5 0.1 1010 NE Mt. Crawford Std. Dev. 4 28 43 2 18 20 0.4 16.6 1.4 0.1 <.1 1.1 0.1 0.1 <.1 40 NE Mt. Crawford Mean 446 1672 303 236 314 429 40.2 21.6 39.6 3.0 1.0 19.5 1.4 0.8 0.4 983 Mt. Eisenhower Std. Dev. 23 54 19 6 14 31 4.2 0.8 2.4 0.3 0.2 1.0 0.1 <.1 <.1 51 Mt. Eisenhower Mean 445 1779 621 217 208 225 41.0 31.9 34.7 2.4 1.5 6.5 0.8 0.5 0.3 1027 Wamsutta Tr. Std. Dev. 46 91 252 15 33 45 7.8 11.7 1.3 0.2 0.1 0.6 0.1 0.1 <.1 31 Wamsutta Tr.

Hypogymnia physodes

P K Ca Mg Al Fe Na Mn Zn Cu B Pb Ni Cr Cd S Locality

Mean 652 3356 5800 516 271 339 32.6 187.3 69.6 3.9 1.3 22.5 1.8 0.6 0.8 995 Rky. Br. Ridge Std. Dev. 106 408 465 38 29 40 3.1 22.4 7.1 0.1 <.1 1.2 0.1 <.1 0.1 69 Rky. Br. Ridge Mean 679 3099 5281 595 270 343 24.5 220.9 79.5 3.8 1.4 27.2 2.4 0.6 0.6 910 Lows Bald Spot Std. Dev. 69 65 1463 62 18 24 1.2 5.9 6.6 0.3 0.1 2.2 0.1 0.1 0.1 70 Lows Bald Spot Mean 676 2824 7965 459 283 379 37.8 325.3 87.3 4.2 1.7 33.8 1.8 0.7 0.7 1087 NE Mt. Crawford Std. Dev. 155 253 913 17 27 43 2.7 9.4 8.3 0.2 0.1 4.7 0.1 <.1 <.1 64 NE Mt. Crawford Mean 705 2835 10792 579 351 492 27.8 173.1 93.3 4.5 1.4 51.8 2.4 0.9 0.9 885 Mt. Eisenhower Std. Dev. 213 647 7945 161 27 62 4.3 6.3 15.3 0.2 0.1 8.9 0.3 0.1 0.2 26 Mt. Eisenhower Mean 396 1658 11754 348 374 463 21.0 171.9 94.5 5.1 1.5 40.1 1.8 0.8 1.7 1113 Wamsutta Tr. Std. Dev. 18 80 2067 13 35 33 3.1 27.3 3.0 0.3 0.1 4.2 0.1 0.1 0.3 81 Wamsutta Tr.

Parmelia sulcata

P K Ca Mg Al Fe Na Mn Zn Cu B Pb Ni Cr Cd S Locality

Mean 1515 4230 1266 419 382 425 33.0 141.9 83.1 5.7 2.6 28.8 1.9 0.7 0.5 1157 Rky. Br. Ridge

Std. Dev. 185 377 133 41 28 32 1.5 25.0 5.5 0.3 0.1 5.3 0.2 <.1 <.1 45 Rky. Br. Ridge Mean 1050 2802 2566 375 395 423 29.6 96.1 120.1 6.1 2.8 37.8 2.2 0.7 0.3 1047 Lows Bald Spot

Std. Dev. 154 256 75 57 40 37 3.4 22.7 6.2 0.1 0.1 0.4 0.1 0.1 <.1 35 Lows Bald Spot

Mean 982 3046 1705 361 515 555 28.1 296.7 109.8 6.4 2.3 46.8 2.3 0.9 0.6 1097 NE Mt. Crawford

Std. Dev. 39 36 64 12 27 27 2.4 1.0 6.1 0.1 0.1 1.1 0.1 0.1 <.1 50 NE Mt. Crawford

Mean 1473 3343 2050 501 445 494 33.3 199.0 130.9 6.2 2.7 33.5 2.1 0.9 0.7 1003 Mt. Eisenhower

Std. Dev. 197 440 73 70 18 35 2.3 38.9 13.4 0.3 0.1 1.4 0.1 <.1 0.1 35 Mt. Eisenhower Mean 657 2014 2006 269 520 559 25.5 131.6 107.1 5.8 2.3 34.3 1.8 0.9 0.7 1033 Wamsutta Tr.

Std. Dev. 75 239 138 10 63 64 0.6 25.2 7.4 0.2 0.3 1.5 0.1 0.1 0.1 40 Wamsutta Tr.

Standards

Cladina stellaris

P K Ca Mg Al Fe Na Mn Zn Cu B Pb Ni Cr Cd S

Mean 193 678 236 267 429 578 75.5 20.1 17.5 2.5 1.0 13.0 1.2 1.1 0.2 433 Std. Dev. 5 19 12 7 12 17 2.4 0.5 0.6 0.2 0.1 0.2 0.3 0.3 <.1 21

NBS Peach Leaves

P K Ca Mg Al Fe Na Mn Zn Cu B Pb Ni Cr Cd S

Mean 1204 3738 4410 1185 461 179 18.2 694.4 71.6 2.9 17.4 11.4 1.5 1.9 0.3 NA

Std. Dev. 14 13 35 13 4 6 0.7 4.7 3.7 0.1 0.3 0.5 0.1 0.1 0.1 NA

Table 3. Comparison of 1988 and 1993 White Mt. Elemental Analyses Values in ppm of thallus dry weight

<u>Cladina rangiferina</u>
P K Ca Mg Al Fe Na Mn Zn Cu B Pb Ni Cr Cd S Locality
1988 Mean 466 1395 465 243 103 97 25.4 175.3 12.8 1.6 0.6 2.7 0.9 0.3 0.1 447 Rky. Br. Ridge Std. dev. 29 99 38 15 7 7 3.3 24.4 0.6 <.1 <.1 0.9 0.1 0.1 0.1 15 1993
Mean 510 1536 330 182 161 119 26.7 62.1 16.3 1.4 0.6 1.7 0.4 0.2 0.1 497 Rky. Br. Ridge Std. dev. 28 93 1 5 14 10 2.2 4.2 0.3 0.1 0.1 0.2 <.1 <.1 <.1 32
1988 Mean 355 1463 342 206 128 136 25.6 24.2 19.7 2.0 0.6 9.1 1.0 0.3 0.2 560 Lows Bald Spot Std. dev. 12 5 4 3 <1 3 1.2 0.1 0.8 <.1 <.1 1.3 0.1 0.1 0.1 30 1993
Mean 301 1339 355 165 81 89 21.5 30.8 14.2 1.3 0.4 1.8 0.5 0.2 0.1 483 Lows Bald Spot Std. dev. 33 121 2 12 3 3 1.1 3.4 0.5 0.1 <.1 <.1 <.1 <.1 <.1 6
1988 Mean 266 1026 251 163 176 187 29.7 69.4 16.6 1.8 0.5 9.1 0.9 0.4 0.2 467 NE Mt. Crawford Std. dev. 6 30 7 6 19 25 2.9 23.7 0.9 0.1 <.1 1.3 0.2 0.1 <.1 38
Mean 331 1342 269 150 109 113 18.3 119.5 13.5 1.3 0.5 2.4 0.4 0.2 0.1 463 NE Mt. Crawford Std. dev. 42 194 50 12 22 26 1.8 28.9 0.3 <.1 <.1 0.5 0.1 0.1 <.1 15
1988 Mean 706 1995 457 245 145 187 19.4 91.9 30.6 2.1 0.6 5.9 1.0 0.5 0.2 610 Mt. Eisenhower Std. dev. 47 98 11 6 4 7 3.2 4.9 1.4 0.1 <.1 0.7 0.1 0.1 <.1 26 1993
Mean 339 1330 266 157 154 238 27.5 19.1 17.7 1.5 0.5 3.3 0.7 0.4 0.2 505 Mt. Eisenhower Std. dev. 38 60 51 2 16 31 4.8 2.5 1.7 <.1 <.1 0.3 <.1 <.1 <.1 23
1993 Mean 504 2272 348 233 128 140 22.8 57.8 20.7 1.9 0.7 3.0 0.6 0.3 0.1 630 Wamsutta Tr. Std. dev. 29 145 38 21 4 3 2.8 11.8 1.6 0.1 <.1 0.3 0.1 <.1 <.1 26
<u>Cladina stygia</u> P K Ca Mg Al Fe Na Mn Zn Cu B Pb Ni Cr Cd S Locality
1988 Mean 437 1692 352 199 119 122 21.4 53.9 18.9 1.8 0.5 7.2 0.8 0.2 0.2 580 Wamsutta Tr. Std. dev. 27 76 12 7 10 10 1.7 2.7 0.7 0.1 0.1 1.3 0.2 0.1 <.1 46 1993
Mean 581 2204 401 218 75 80 21.5 48.0 21.9 1.7 0.6 2.9 0.5 0.2 0.1 570 Wamsutta Tr. Std. dev. 55 198 38 10 4 5 1.6 6.6 1.8 0.1 <.1 0.4 <.1 <.1 <.1 56

Table 3, Continued. Comparison of 1988 and 1993 White Mt. Elemental Analyses

Evernia m P		-	_	Al	Fe	Na	a M	ln 2	Zn	Cu	В	Pb	Ni	С	r (Cd	S	Locality	
1993 Mean Std. dev.																		 I 0.2 893 Rky. Br. Ri 76	dge
1993 Mean Std. dev.		1634 111						36.1 2.4										.5 0.2 1113 Lows Ba 57	ld Spot
1993 Mean Std. dev.																		8 0.4 983 Mt. Eisen 51	hower
1993 Mean Std. dev.	_	-	_				_	_	-						_			5 0.3 1027 Wamsutta 31	Tr.
1988 Mean Std. dev. 1993	_	1744 41		-			_								_		-	6 0.4 1127 NE Mt. C 125	rawford
Mean Std. dev.	292 4	1342 28																5 0.1 1010 NE Mt. Ci 40	awford

Table 3, Continued. Comparison of 1988 and 1993 White Mt. Elemental Analyses

Hypogymnia physodes
P K Ca Mg Al Fe Na Mn Zn Cu B Pb Ni Cr Cd S Locality
1988
Mean 755 2913 7342 468 346 399 25.5 274.0 104.4 4.6 0.9 59.1 2.3 0.9 1.1 960 Rky. Br. Ridge
Std. dev. 99 378 2315 27 50 67 4.0 34.0 5.3 0.3 0.2 9.0 0.1 0.1 0.2 70
1993
Mean 652 3356 5800 516 271 339 32.6 187.3 69.6 3.9 1.3 22.5 1.8 0.6 0.8 995 Rky. Br. Ridge
Std. dev. 106 408 465 38 29 40 3.1 22.4 7.1 0.1 <.1 1.2 0.1 <.1 0.1 69
1988
Mean 761 2890 5386 512 315 384 30.4 165.8 93.2 4.3 1.1 49.8 3.1 0.9 0.7 1047 Lows Bald Spot
Std. dev. 27 53 567 8 13 15 4.1 18.0 4.1 <.1 0.1 2.5 0.2 <.1 0.1 57
1993
Mean 679 3099 5281 595 270 343 24.5 220.9 79.5 3.8 1.4 27.2 2.4 0.6 0.6 910 Lows Bald Spot
Std. dev. 69 65 1463 62 18 24 1.2 5.9 6.6 0.3 0.1 2.2 0.1 0.1 0.1 70
1988
Mean 568 2398 8034 410 318 436 30.6 315.0 103.2 5.0 1.3 63.4 2.9 1.0 0.7 1095 NE Mt. Crawford
Std. dev. 25 146 1372 16 9 25 2.2 49.4 4.7 0.2 0.1 1.7 0.5 0.1 0.1 22
1993
Mean 676 2824 7965 459 283 379 37.8 325.3 87.3 4.2 1.7 33.8 1.8 0.7 0.7 1087 NE Mt. Crawford
Std. dev. 155 253 913 17 27 43 2.7 9.4 8.3 0.2 0.1 4.7 0.1 <.1 <.1 64 1988
Mean 835 2873 7278 571 407 477 34.9 208.3 97.1 6.2 1.5 62.3 3.3 1.1 1.2 1040 Mt. Eisenhower
Std. dev. 136 232 1591 45 8 9 0.1 43.7 1.8 0.4 0.1 1.7 0.2 0.1 0.3 40
1993
Mean 705 2835 10792 579 351 492 27.8 173.1 93.3 4.5 1.4 51.8 2.4 0.9 0.9 885 Mt. Eisenhower
Std. dev. 213 647 7945 161 27 62 4.3 6.3 15.3 0.2 0.1 8.9 0.3 0.1 0.2 26
1988
Mean 676 2568 18603 618 258 291 18.5 365.0 98.8 3.6 1.2 42.6 2.1 0.9 1.4 917 Wamsutta Tr.
Std. dev. 45 143 3537 41 30 26 1.0 53.2 6.2 0.2 0.2 4.5 0.5 0.1 0.2 71
1993
Mean 396 1658 11754 348 374 463 21.0 171.9 94.5 5.1 1.5 40.1 1.8 0.8 1.7 1113 Wamsutta Tr.
Std. dev. 18 80 2067 13 35 33 3.1 27.3 3.0 0.3 0.1 4.2 0.1 0.1 0.3 81

Table 3, Continued. Comparison of 1988 and 1993 White Mt. Elemental Analyses

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Parmelia sulcata
     P K Ca Mg Al Fe Na Mn Zn Cu B Pb Ni Cr Cd S Locality
______
Mean
       1515 4230 1266 419 382 425 33.0 141.9 83.1 5.7 2.6 28.8 1.9 0.7 0.5 1157 Rky. Br. Ridge
Std. dev. 185 377 133 41 28 32 1.5 25.0 5.5 0.3 0.1 5.3 0.2 <.1 <.1 45
       1050 2802 2566 375 395 423 29.6 96.1 120.1 6.1 2.8 37.8 2.2 0.7 0.3 1047 Lows Bald Spot
Std. dev. 154 256 75 57 40 37 3.4 22.7 6.2 0.1 0.1 0.4 0.1 0.1 <.1 35
       982 3046 1705 361 515 555 28.1 296.7 109.8 6.4 2.3 46.8 2.3 0.9 0.6 1097 NE Mt. Crawford
Std. dev. 39 36 64 12 27 27 2.4 1.0 6.1 0.1 0.1 1.1 0.1 0.1 <.1 50
Mean 1473 3343 2050 501 445 494 33.3 199.0 130.9 6.2 2.7 33.5 2.1 0.9 0.7 1003 Mt. Eisenhower
Std. dev. 197 440 73 70 18 35 2.3 38.9 13.4 0.3 0.1 1.4 0.1 <.1 0.1 35
       657 2014 2006 269 520 559 25.5 131.6 107.1 5.8 2.3 34.3 1.8 0.9 0.7 1033 Wamsutta Tr.
Std. dev. 75 239 138 10 63 64 0.6 25.2 7.4 0.2 0.3 1.5 0.1 0.1 0.1 40
Green Mt.
Mean
       975 2914 1680 410 376 489 42.7 89.3 72.0 4.8 2.6 19.6 1.7 0.8 0.4 1120 Green Mt.
Cladina stellaris
     P K Ca Mg Al Fe Na Mn Zn Cu B Pb Ni Cr Cd S
______
  1988
Mean
       190 655 207 258 363 461 75.7 18.6 16.8 2.3 0.8 13.0 1.6 0.7 0.3 444
Std. dev. 4 28 6 3 16 35 1.9 0.1 0.4 0.1 0.2 1.0 0.1 0.1 <.1 8
  1993
Mean
       193 678 236 267 429 578 75.5 20.1 17.5 2.5 1.0 13.0 1.2 1.1 0.2 433
Std. dev. 5 19 12 7 12 17 2.4 0.5 0.6 0.2 0.1 0.2 0.3 0.3 <.1 21
NBS Peach Leaves
     P K Ca Mg Al Fe Na Mn Zn Cu B Pb Ni Cr Cd S
______
  1988 NA
  1993
       1204 3738 4410 1185 461 179 18.2 694.4 71.6 2.9 17.4 11.4 1.5 1.9 0.3 NA
Std. dev. 14 13 35 13 4 6 0.7 4.7 3.7 0.1 0.3 0.5 0.1 0.1 0.1 NA
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the variability. Only the first two components were used in the analyses. The first component is basically a weighted average of the concentrations of all elements, with a strong downweighting of sodium and a moderate downweighting of manganese. These all vary together. The second component contrasts a weighted average of {Na, S, B, P, Fe, Al, K, Cr} to a weighted average of {Mn, Ca, Cd, Mg, Pb, Ni, Zn}. The second component includes S and is more meaningful in this air quality study.

LATENT ROOTS (EIGENVALUES)

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 11.204 1.336 1.069 0.765 0.524 0.377 0.260 0.112 0.098 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 0.072 0.050 0.040 0.035 0.023 0.021 0.013

COMPONENT LOADINGS

2 3 5 6 7 LP 0.777 0.175 -0.479 0.182 -0.114 -0.259 0.036 0.034 LK 0.824 0.114 -0.453 0.235 -0.050 0.023 0.140 0.003 LCA 0.834 -0.406 -0.115 0.045 0.209 0.236 -0.044 -0.031 LMG 0.863 -0.185 -0.351 0.089 0.229 0.045 0.088 -0.081 LAL 0.888 0.144 -0.018 -0.353 0.127 -0.148 -0.107 0.076 LFE 0.897 0.165 -0.015 -0.334 0.160 -0.089 -0.041 0.028 LNA 0.388 0.616 0.380 0.401 0.396 -0.036 0.041 0.043 LMN 0.651 -0.505 0.195 0.405 0.029 -0.177 -0.273 -0.028 LZN 0.950 -0.106 0.154 0.060 -0.147 0.034 -0.037 0.061 LCU 0.971 0.042 0.017 -0.089 -0.095 -0.057 -0.042 0.078 LB 0.837 0.350 -0.141 0.014 -0.221 0.146 -0.239 -0.001 LPB 0.859 -0.185 0.389 -0.027 -0.161 -0.052 0.136 0.049 LNI 0.876 -0.164 0.254 -0.028 -0.124 -0.211 0.215 -0.097 LCR 0.904 0.110 0.095 -0.266 0.125 0.010 -0.044 -0.206 LCD 0.890 -0.268 0.050 -0.064 0.100 0.236 0.109 0.155 LS 0.806 0.360 0.207 0.133 -0.257 0.246 0.029 -0.081

9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16
LP 0.055 -0.085 0.045 0.068 -0.039 0.028 -0.023 -0.027
LK 0.063 0.057 -0.070 -0.091 0.032 0.030 0.037 0.028
LCA -0.102 0.002 -0.011 0.009 -0.048 0.089 -0.022 -0.012
LMG -0.077 0.012 -0.016 0.055 0.050 -0.089 -0.026 0.004
LAL 0.011 0.050 0.002 0.035 0.014 0.024 -0.037 0.073
LFE 0.013 0.098 -0.038 0.032 0.004 0.002 0.066 -0.060
LNA -0.037 -0.029 0.004 -0.011 -0.008 0.004 0.000 0.001
LMN 0.081 0.051 0.019 -0.005 0.028 -0.005 0.012 -0.001

LZN -0.010 -0.052 -0.114 0.022 -0.107 -0.048 0.024 0.021 LCU -0.053 0.038 0.014 -0.116 -0.017 -0.033 -0.076 -0.036 LB -0.129 -0.068 0.050 -0.007 0.048 -0.004 0.046 0.008 LPB -0.019 -0.081 -0.073 0.029 0.104 0.033 -0.018 -0.015 LNI -0.109 0.042 0.088 -0.015 -0.036 0.005 0.038 0.020 LCR 0.122 -0.116 -0.005 -0.050 -0.009 -0.002 -0.006 -0.001 LCD 0.115 -0.041 0.107 -0.005 0.003 -0.022 0.026 0.004 LS 0.082 0.118 0.016 0.063 -0.008 0.004 -0.037 -0.004

VARIANCE EXPLAINED BY COMPONENTS

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 11.204 1.336 1.069 0.765 0.524 0.377 0.260 0.112 0.098

10 11 12 13 14 15 16 0.072 0.050 0.040 0.035 0.023 0.021 0.013

PERCENT OF TOTAL VARIANCE EXPLAINED

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 70.023 8.351 6.680 4.782 3.275 2.358 1.624 0.703 0.615

10 11 12 13 14 15 16 0.451 0.311 0.250 0.217 0.146 0.132 0.082

FACTOR SCORE COEFFICIENTS

LP 0.069 0.131 LK 0.074 0.085 LCA 0.074 -0.303 LMG 0.077 -0.138 LAL 0.079 0.108 LFE 0.080 0.124 LNA 0.035 0.461 LMN 0.058 -0.378 LZN 0.085 -0.079 LCU 0.087 0.031 LB 0.075 0.262 LPB 0.077 -0.138LNI 0.078 -0.123 LCR 0.081 0.082 LCD 0.079 -0.201 LS 0.072 0.269

WHITE MT.

At the Wamsutta Trail locality in 1988 only <u>Cladina stygia</u> was found. In 1993 <u>C. rangiferina</u> was also found there. A comparison of the elements of the two species at the same locality provides the possibility of correlating the levels in the two species.

Question. Are there differences between *Cladina rangiferina* and *C. stygia* at same locality in White Mt.?

Wamsutta Tr. is the only shared locality for the two species, and there appears to be a difference between the species at this location. Analyzing the 21 observations from Wamsutta Tr., including 3 *C. rangiferina* and 6 *C. stygia* showed *C. stygia* to have a lower value than *C. rangiferina* for principal component 1 (P = 0.003). Principal component 2 did not show a difference (P = 0.10), but *C. stygia* was again lower than *C. rangiferina*. (Bear in mind that the species sample sizes are rather small to detect anything but large differences.)

LEVELS ENCOUNTERED DURING PROCESSING ARE:

SPECIES\$ <u>C. rangiferina</u> <u>C. stygia</u> <u>E. mesomorpha</u> <u>H. physodes</u> <u>P. sulcata</u>

DEP VAR: F1 N: 21 SQUARED MULTIPLE R: 0.992

ANALYSIS OF VARIANCE

SOURCE SUM-OF-SQUARES DF MEAN-SQUARE F-RATIO P

SPECIES\$ 17.0039 4 4.2510 477.2545 0.0000

ERROR 0.1425 16 0.0089

ROW SPECIES\$

1 C. rangiferi

2 C. stygia

MEAN DIFFERENCE: -0.2439

FISHER'S LEAST-SIGNIFICANT-DIFFERENCE TEST: P = 0.0021

DEP VAR: F2 N: 21 SQUARED MULTIPLE R: 0.901

ANALYSIS OF VARIANCE

SOURCE SUM-OF-SQUARES DF MEAN-SQUARE F-RATIO P

SPECIES\$ 25.2308 4 6.3077 36.5846 0.0000

ERROR 2.7586 16 0.1724

MEAN DIFFERENCE: -0.5241

FISHER'S LEAST-SIGNIFICANT-DIFFERENCE TEST: P = 0.0932

Question. Are there differences between 1988 and 1993 in White Mt.?

Disregarding localities, principal component 1 shows 1993 to be lower than 1988 (P = 0.004), but principal component 2 shows no difference (P = 0.14). When localities are included as an effect, there are significant differences for both principal components, as well as numerous significant interactions. Averaging over species and localities, PC = 1 is again lower in 93 than 88, but for PC = 2 93 is higher than 88. Note that the species and localities are somewhat different in the two analyses. Note also than with either analysis perspective, the species effects far outweigh the site or locality effects; this may be related to life history strategies of the lichen species.

TABLE OF YEAR\$ (ROWS) BY SPECIES\$ (COLUMNS)

C. rang C. styg E. meso H. phys P. sulc TOTAL

White88 | 12 3 3 15 0 | 33 White 93 | 18 3 15 15 15 | 66 TOTAL 30 6 18 30 15 99

So P. sulcata is not included in this analysis.

DEP VAR: F1 N: 84 SQUARED MULTIPLE R: 0.956 ANALYSIS OF VARIANCE

SOURCE SUM-OF-SQUARES DF MEAN-SQUARE F-RATIO P

YEAR\$ 0.3971 1 0.3971 8.8067 0.0040 SPECIES\$ 69.7695 3 23.2565 515.7613 0.0000 YEAR*SPP 0.2860 3 0.0953 2.1146 0.1053

ERROR 3.4270 76 0.0451

LS MEAN SE N

YEAR\$ =White88 -0.4457 0.0480 33 YEAR\$ =White93 -0.6280 0.0384 51

DEP VAR: F2 N: 84 SQUARED MULTIPLE R: 0.770 ANALYSIS OF VARIANCE

SOURCE SUM-OF-SQUARES DF MEAN-SQUARE F-RATIO

YEAR\$ 0.5132 1 0.5132 2.2326 0.1393 SPECIES\$ 38.3826 3 12.7942 55.6574 0.0000 YEAR*SPP 0.1958 3 0.0653 0.2839 0.8369

ERROR 17.4704 76 0.2299

LS MEAN SE N

YEAR\$ =White88 -0.4158 0.1083 33 YEAR\$ =White93 -0.2085 0.0866 51

including localities:

TABLE OF SPECIES\$ (ROWS) BY LOCALITY\$ (COLUMNS) FOR YEAR\$ = White88

Lows Ba Mt. Eis Mt. Craw Rky Br Wamsutta TOTAL

C. rangi | 3 3 3 0 |

C. rangi | 3 3 3 0 | 12 C. stygi | 0 0 0 0 3 | 3

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E. mesom | 0
                                 0 |
                0
                      3
                            0
                                       3
               3
                     3
H. physo | 3
                           3
                                 3 |
                                      15
TOTAL
          6
                6
                      9
                            6
                                 6
                                       33
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FOR YEAR\$ = White93

Lows Ba Mt. Eis Mt. Craw Rky Br Wamsutta TOTAL

C. rangi | 4 3 4 4 3 | 18 C. stygi | 0 0 0 0 3 | 3 3 E. mesom | 3 3 3 | 15 H. physo | 3 3 3 3 | 15 3 TOTAL 10 9 10 10 12 51

So the Wamsutta Trail locality and <u>C. stygia</u> and <u>E. mesomorpha</u> species will not be included.

DEP VAR: F1 N: 51 SQUARED MULTIPLE R: 0.997 ANALYSIS OF VARIANCE

SOURCE SUM-OF-SQUARES DF MEAN-SQUARE F-RATIO P

1.3897 YEAR\$ 1.3897 1 285.9987 0.0000 SPECIES\$ 57.1001 1 57.1001 11750.8963 0.0000 1.1173 3 0.3724 LOCALITY\$ 76.6441 0.0000 0.1713 1 0.1713 35.2582 0.0000 YEAR*SPP 0.1659 3 0.0553 YEAR*LOCALITY 11.3814 0.0000 SPP*LOCALITY 0.1233 3 0.0411 8.4610 0.0002 YEAR*SPP*LOCAL 0.1959 3 0.0653 13.4363 0.0000

ERROR 0.1701 35 0.0049

LS MEAN SE N
YEAR\$ =White88 -0.0610 0.0142 24
YEAR\$ =White93 -0.3932 0.0135 27

DEP VAR: F2 N: 51 SQUARED MULTIPLE R: 0.857 ANALYSIS OF VARIANCE

SOURCE SUM-OF-SQUARES DF MEAN-SQUARE F-RATIO P

YEAR\$ 0.5031 1 0.5031 10.4009 0.0027 SPECIES\$ 3.0884 1 3.0884 63.8444 0.0000 LOCALITY\$ 0.4121 3 0.1374 2.8395 0.0519 0.0895 1 0.0895 YEAR*SPP 1.8503 0.1825 YEAR*LOCALITY 2.7412 3 0.9137 18.8889 0.0000 SPP*LOCALITY 0.5004 3 0.1668 3.4478 0.0269 YEAR*SPP*LOCAL 2.8067 3 0.9356 19.3405 0.0000

ERROR 1.6931 35 0.0484

LS MEAN SE N

Question. Does any locality in White Mt. have high levels?

Yes. The details are available in the analysis material following this summary.

The first step was figuring out what data could be used. After reviewing the available data, it was determined that the locality comparisons would have to be done in pieces because of the zero counts in many of the design cells. However, it was also determined that a common MSE could be used for each of the principal components. The pooling calculations are given below.

Principal component 1

White 88 (no Wamsutta Tr., no C. stygia, no E. mesomorpha): SSE = 0.07713 df = 16 MSE = 0.00482

White 93 (no C. stygia): SSE = 0.23038 df = 43 MSE = 0.00536 Common pooled: SSE = 0.43526 df = 91 MSE = 0.0047831

Principal component 2

White 88 (no Wamsutta Tr., no C. stygia, no E. mesomorpha): $SSE = 0.73003 \, df = 16 \, MSE = 0.04563$

White 93 (no C. stygia): SSE = 2.36044 df = 43 MSE = 0.05489 Common pooled: SSE = 4.72035 df = 91 MSE = 0.051872

1988 White Mt. analyses

TABLE OF SPECIES\$ (ROWS) BY LOCALITY\$ (COLUMNS) Lows Mt. Eisen Mt. Craw Rky Br Wamsutta TOTAL

C. rangi 3	3	3	3	0 12
C. stygi 0	0	0	0	3 3
E. mesom 0	0	3	0	0 3
H. physo 3	3	3	3	3 15
TOTAL 6	6	9	6	6 33

So these analyses will focus just on C. rangiferina and H. physodes.

LEVELS ENCOUNTERED DURING PROCESSING ARE:

SPECIES\$ <u>C. rangiferina</u> <u>H. physodes</u>

LOCALITY\$ Lows Bald Spot Mt. Eisenhower NE Mt. Crawford Rocky Branch Ridge

DEP VAR: F1 N: 24

ANALYSIS OF VARIANCE

SOURCE SS DF MS F P

SPP*LOCALITY 0.10263 3 0.03421 7.15231 0.00023

ERROR 0.43526 91 0.00478

So these analyses will be run by species.

C. rangiferina

LOCALITY\$ Lows Bald Spot Mt. Eisenhower NE Mt. Crawford Rocky Branch Ridge

DEP VAR: F1 N: 12

ANALYSIS OF VARIANCE

SOURCE SS DF MS F P

LOCALITY\$ 0.70746 3 0.23582 49.30292 0.00000

ERROR 0.43526 91 0.00478

LS MEAN SE N

LOCALITY\$ = Lows Bald Sp -1.11168 0.04068 3 LOCALITY\$ = Mt. Eisenhow -0.66320 0.04068 3 LOCALITY\$ = NE Mt. Crawf -1.19428 0.04068 3 LOCALITY\$ = Rky Br Ridge -1.30061 0.04068 3

FISHER'S LSD TEST. MATRIX OF PAIRWISE COMPARISON PROBABILITIES:

Lows Mt. Eisenhow Mt. Crawf Rky Br Ridge

Lows Bald Sp 1.00000

Mt. Eisenhow 0.00000 1.00000

NE Mt. Crawf 0.14699 0.00000 1.00000

Rky Br Ridge 0.00119 0.00000 0.06290 1.00000

DEP VAR: F2 N: 12

ANALYSIS OF VARIANCE

SOURCE SS DF MS F P

LOCALITY\$ 1.28937 3 0.42979 8.28559 0.00006

ERROR 4.72035 91 0.05187

LS MEAN SE N

FISHER'S LSD TEST. MATRIX OF PAIRWISE COMPARISON PROBABILITIES:

Lows Mt. Eisenhow Mt. Crawf Rky Br Ridge

Lows Bald Sp 1.00000

Mt. Eisenhow 0.00065 1.00000

NE Mt. Crawf 0.25562 0.01903 1.00000

Rky Br Ridge 0.00003 0.40316 0.00174 1.00000

H. physodes

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LOCALITY$ Lows Bald Spot Mt. Eisenhower NE Mt. Crawford Rocky Branch Ridge Wamsutta
Trail.
DEP VAR: F1
              N: 15
            ANALYSIS OF VARIANCE
SOURCE
                                      Ρ
           SS
                DF
                      MS
                       0.07244 15.14453 0.00000
LOCALITY$ 0.28975 4
ERROR
         0.43526 91
                      0.00478
                 LS MEAN
                              SE
                                    Ν
 LOCALITY$ = Lows Bald Sp
                                      0.03750
                                                3
                            0.82474
 LOCALITY$ = Mt. Eisenhow
                           1.17806
                                               3
                                     0.03750
 LOCALITY$ = NE Mt. Crawf
                                     0.03750
                           0.90922
                                               3
 LOCALITY$ = Rky Br Ridge
                                               3
                           0.87010
                                     0.03750
 LOCALITY$ = Wamsutta Tr.
                            0.78383
                                      0.03750
FISHER'S LSD TEST. MATRIX OF PAIRWISE COMPARISON PROBABILITIES:
       Lows Mt. Eisen Mt. Crawf Rky Br Wamsutta
Lows Bald Sp 1.00000
Mt. Eisenhow 0.00000 1.00000
NE Mt. Crawf 0.13813 0.00001 1.00000
Rky Br Ridge 0.42392 0.00000 0.49027 1.00000
Wamsutta Tr. 0.47062 0.00000 0.02887 0.13004 1.00000
DEP VAR: F2
              N: 15
            ANALYSIS OF VARIANCE
SOURCE
           SS
                DF
                      MS
                                      Ρ
LOCALITY$ 6.34629 4
                      1.58657 30.58631 0.00000
ERROR
         4.72035 91
                      0.05187
                              SE
                 LS MEAN
                                    Ν
 LOCALITY$ = Lows Bald Sp -0.80865
                                      0.17512
                                                3
 LOCALITY$ = Mt. Eisenhow
                                     0.17512
                                               3
                          -0.64783
 LOCALITY$ = NE Mt. Crawf
                           -1.07229
                                     0.17512
                                               3
 LOCALITY$ = Rky Br Ridge
                                               3
                           -1.51921
                                     0.17512
 LOCALITY$ = Wamsutta Tr.
                           -2.46138
                                      0.17512
FISHER'S LSD TEST. MATRIX OF PAIRWISE COMPARISON PROBABILITIES:
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Lows Mt. Eisenhow Mt. Crawf Rky Br Wamsutta Tr.

1.00000

0.01828 1.00000

0.00000 0.00000 1.00000

1993 White Mt. analyses

Lows Bald Sp 1.00000

Mt. Eisenhow 0.38940 1.00000 NE Mt. Crawf 0.15969 0.02479

Rky Br Ridge 0.00024 0.00001

Wamsutta Tr. 0.00000 0.00000

TABLE OF SPECIES\$ (ROWS) BY LOCALITY\$ (COLUMNS) Lows Mt. Eis Mt. Crawf Rky Br Wamsutta TOTAL

C. rangi 4	3	4	4	3 18
C. stygi 0	0	0	0	3 3
E. mesom 3	3	3	3	3 15
H. physo 3	3	3	3	3 15
P. sulca 3	3	3	3	3 15

So these analyses will not include C. stygia.

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DEP VAR: F1 N: 63 SQUARED MULTIPLE R: 0.996
ANALYSIS OF VARIANCE
SOURCE SUM-OF-SQUARES DF MEAN-SQUARE F-RATIO P
SPP*LOCAL 1.33297 12 0.11108 20.73334 0.00000
ERROR 0.23038 43 0.00536
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So these analyses will be run by species.

C. rangiferina

LOCALITY\$ Lows Bald Spot Mt. Eisenhower NE Mt. Crawford Rocky Branch Ridge Wamsutta Trail.

LS MEAN	SE	N	
LOCALITY\$ = Lows Bald Sp	-1.76944	0.03501	4
LOCALITY\$ = Mt. Eisenhow	-1.27615	0.04043	3
LOCALITY\$ = NE Mt. Crawf	-1.64573	0.03501	4
LOCALITY\$ = Rky Br Ridge	-1.37402	0.03501	4
LOCALITY\$ = Wamsutta Tr.	-1.02645	0.04043	3

FISHER'S LSD TEST. MATRIX OF PAIRWISE COMPARISON PROBABILITIES: Lows Mt. Eisenhow Mt. Crawf Rky Br Wamsutta Lows Bald Sp 1.00000 Mt. Eisenhow 0.00000 1.00000

NE Mt. Crawf 0.01314 0.00000 1.00000

Rky Br Ridge 0.00000 0.06715 0.00000 1.00000

Wamsutta Tr. 0.00000 0.00003 0.00000 0.00000 1.00000

DEP VAR: F2 N: 18

ANALYSIS OF VARIANCE

SOURCE SS DF MS F P

LOCALITY\$ 3.15226 4 0.78806 15.19247 0.00000

ERROR 4.72035 91 0.05187

LS MEAN SE N

LOCALITY\$ = Lows Bald Sp -0.55868 0.09695 LOCALITY\$ = Mt. Eisenhow 0.32086 0.11195 3 LOCALITY\$ = NE Mt. Crawf -0.92272 0.09695 4 LOCALITY\$ = Rky Br Ridge -0.10669 4 0.09695 LOCALITY\$ = Wamsutta Tr. -0.17998 0.11195 3

FISHER'S LSD TEST. MATRIX OF PAIRWISE COMPARISON PROBABILITIES:

Lows Mt. Eisenhow Mt. Crawf Rky Br Wamsutta

Lows Bald Sp 1.00000

Mt. Eisenhow 0.00000 1.00000

NE Mt. Crawf 0.02618 0.00000 1.00000

Rky Br Ridge 0.00612 0.01587 0.00000 1.00000

Wamsutta Tr. 0.03207 0.00842 0.00005 0.67451 1.00000

E. mesomorpha

LOCALITY\$ Lows Bald Spot Mt. Eisenhower NE Mt. Crawford Rocky Branch Ridge Wamsutta Trail.

DEP VAR: F1 N: 15

ANALYSIS OF VARIANCE

SOURCE SS DF MS F P

LOCALITY\$ 0.73599 4 0.18400 38.46841 0.00000

ERROR 0.43526 91 0.00478

LS MEAN SE N

LOCALITY\$ = Lows Bald Sp -0.48314 0.04659 3 LOCALITY\$ = Mt. Eisenhow -0.08410 0.04659 3 LOCALITY\$ = NE Mt. Crawf -0.76552 0.04659 3 LOCALITY\$ = Rky Br Ridge -0.54343 3 0.04659 LOCALITY\$ = Wamsutta Tr. -0.40270 0.04659 3

FISHER'S LSD TEST. MATRIX OF PAIRWISE COMPARISON PROBABILITIES: Lows Mt. Eisenhow Mt. Crawf Rky Br Wamsutta Lows Bald Sp 1.00000

Mt. Eisenhow 0.00000 1.00000

NE Mt. Crawf 0.00000 0.00000 1.00000

Rky Br Ridge 0.28853 0.00000 0.00016 1.00000

Wamsutta Tr. 0.15767 0.00000 0.00000 0.01450 1.00000

DEP VAR: F2 N: 15

ANALYSIS OF VARIANCE

SOURCE SS DF MS F P

LOCALITY\$ 1.37778 4 0.34444 6.64028 0.00010

ERROR 4.72035 91 0.05187

LS MEAN SE N

LOCALITY\$ =Lows Bald Sp 1.14924 0.16414 3 LOCALITY\$ =Mt. Eisenhow 1.38062 0.16414 3 LOCALITY\$ =NE Mt. Crawf 0.70087 0.16414 3 LOCALITY\$ =Rky Br Ridge 0.73586 0.16414 3 LOCALITY\$ =Wamsutta Tr. 1.39960 0.16414

FISHER'S LSD TEST. MATRIX OF PAIRWISE COMPARISON PROBABILITIES:

Lows Mt. Eisenhow Mt. Crawf Rky Br Wamsutta

Lows Bald Sp 1.00000

Mt. Eisenhow 0.21660 1.00000

NE Mt. Crawf 0.01791 0.00043 1.00000

Rky Br Ridge 0.02870 0.00080 0.85118 1.00000

Wamsutta Tr. 0.18154 0.91892 0.00030 0.00057 1.00000

H. physodes

LOCALITY\$ Lows Bald Spot Mt. Eisenhower NE Mt. Crawford Rocky Branch Ridge Wamsutta Trail.

DEP VAR: F1 N: 15

ANALYSIS OF VARIANCE

SOURCE SS DF MS F P

LOCALITY\$ 0.15080 4 0.03770 7.88192 0.00002

ERROR 0.43526 91 0.00478

LS MEAN SE N

LOCALITY\$ = Lows Bald Sp 0.63601 0.04028 3 LOCALITY\$ = Mt. Eisenhow 0.88532 0.04028 3 LOCALITY\$ = NE Mt. Crawf 0.78487 0.04028 3 LOCALITY\$ = Rky Br Ridge 0.61358 0.04028 3 LOCALITY\$ = Wamsutta Tr. 0.69949 0.04028 3

FISHER'S LSD TEST. MATRIX OF PAIRWISE COMPARISON PROBABILITIES:

Lows Mt. Eisenhow Mt. Crawf Rky Br Wamsutta

Lows Bald Sp 1.00000

Mt. Eisenhow 0.00003 1.00000

NE Mt. Crawf 0.00986 0.07858 1.00000

Rky Br Ridge 0.69211 0.00001 0.00315 1.00000

Wamsutta Tr. 0.26389 0.00142 0.13402 0.13162 1.00000

DEP VAR: F2 N: 15

ANALYSIS OF VARIANCE

SOURCE SS DF MS F P

LOCALITY\$ 1.96850 4 0.49213 9.48730 0.00000

ERROR 4.72035 91 0.05187

LS MEAN SE N

LOCALITY\$ = Lows Bald Sp -1.22367 0.16451 3 LOCALITY\$ = Mt. Eisenhow -1.12244 0.16451 3 LOCALITY\$ = NE Mt. Crawf -0.55828 0.16451 3 LOCALITY\$ = Rky Br Ridge -0.68121 0.16451 3 LOCALITY\$ = Wamsutta Tr. -1.54577 0.16451 3

FISHER'S LSD TEST. MATRIX OF PAIRWISE COMPARISON PROBABILITIES:

Lows Mt. Eisenhow Mt. Crawf Rky Br Wamsutta

Lows Bald Sp 1.00000

Mt. Eisenhow 0.58752 1.00000

NE Mt. Crawf 0.00056 0.00315 1.00000

Rky Br Ridge 0.00445 0.01976 0.51024 1.00000

Wamsutta Tr. 0.08665 0.02517 0.00000 0.00001 1.00000

P. sulcata

LOCALITY\$ Lows Bald Spot Mt. Eisenhower NE Mt. Crawford Rocky Branch Ridge Wamsutta Trail.

DEP VAR: F1 N: 15

ANALYSIS OF VARIANCE

SOURCE SS DF MS F P

LOCALITY\$ 0.29935 4 0.07484 15.64642 0.00000

ERROR 0.43526 91 0.00478

LS MEAN SE Ν LOCALITY\$ = Lows Bald Sp 0.83384 0.04196 3 LOCALITY\$ = Mt. Eisenhow 1.13244 0.04196 3 LOCALITY\$ = NE Mt. Crawf 1.05715 0.04196 3 3 LOCALITY\$ = Rky Br Ridge 0.92425 0.04196 LOCALITY\$ = Wamsutta Tr. 0.74631 0.04196 3

FISHER'S LSD TEST. MATRIX OF PAIRWISE COMPARISON PROBABILITIES:

Lows Mt. Eisenhow Mt. Crawf Rky Br Wamsutta

Lows Bald Sp 1.00000

Mt. Eisenhow 0.00000 1.00000

NE Mt. Crawf 0.00015 0.18575 1.00000

Rky Br Ridge 0.11280 0.00039 0.02075 1.00000

Wamsutta Tr. 0.12464 0.00000 0.00000 0.00220 1.00000

DEP VAR: F2 N: 15

ANALYSIS OF VARIANCE

SOURCE SS DF MS F P

LOCALITY\$ 1.54351 4 0.38588 7.43903 0.00003

ERROR 4.72035 91 0.05187

LS MEAN SE N

LOCALITY\$ = Lows Bald Sp 0.37583 0.09156 3 LOCALITY\$ = Mt. Eisenhow 0.22821 0.09156 3 LOCALITY\$ = NE Mt. Crawf -0.14835 0.09156 3 LOCALITY\$ = Rky Br Ridge 0.73658 0.09156 3

LOCALITY\$ = Wamsutta Tr. -0.07609 0.09156 3

FISHER'S LSD TEST. MATRIX OF PAIRWISE COMPARISON PROBABILITIES:

Lows Mt. Eisenhow Mt. Crawf Rky Br Wamsutta

Lows Bald Sp 1.00000

Mt. Eisenhow 0.42937 1.00000

NE Mt. Crawf 0.00591 0.04580 1.00000

Rky Br Ridge 0.05549 0.00753 0.00001 1.00000

Wamsutta Tr. 0.01705 0.10521 0.69851 0.00003 1.00000

SIGNIFICANT LOCALITY DIFFERENCES High to low (L to R) P<.05

1988

C. rangiferina

Lows Mt. Crawford Mt. Eisenhower Rky Br

Mt. Eisenhower Rky Br

H physodes

Mt. Eisenhower Lows Mt. Crawford Rky Br Wamsutta

1993

C. rangiferina

Mt. Eisenhower Rky Br Wamsutta Lows Mt. Crawford

E. mesomorpha

Wamsutta Mt. Eisenhower Lows Rky Br Mt. Crawford

Rky Br Mt. Crawford

H. physodes

Mt. Crawford Rky Br Mt. Eisenhower Lows Wamsutta

Mt. Eisenhower Lows Wamsutta

P. sulcata

Mt. Eisenhower Wamsutta Mt. Crawford Rky Br Lows Mt. Eisenhower Wamsutta Mt. Crawford Wamsutta Mt. Crawford

GREEN MT & WHITE MT.

Question. Are there differences between Green and White Mts.?

Because differences were found in the previous question, only 1993 data were used in this comparison (and C. stygia was not used because it was only sampled in White Mt.). Green Mt. has a higher response than White Mt. for each component (P < 0.0001 in each case). These differences do not appear to be affected by which species is being looked at (P = 0.22 and P = 0.55 for principal components 1 and 2, respectively).

TABLE OF YEAR\$ (ROWS) BY SPECIES\$ (COLUMNS) C. rang C. styg E. meso H. phys P. sulc TOTAL

Green93	14	0	15	18	16	63
White93	18	3	15	15	15	66
TOTAL	32	3	30	33	31	129

So C. stygia will not be included in the analysis

YEAR\$ Green93 White93 SPECIES\$ C. rangiferina E. mesomorpha H. physodes P. sulcata

N: 126 SQUARED MULTIPLE R: 0.915 DEP VAR: F1 ANALYSIS OF VARIANCE

SOURCE SUM-OF-SQUARES DF MEAN-SQUARE F-RATIO YEAR\$ 1.8198 1 1.8198 20.5992 0.0000

SPECIES\$ 106.5286 3 35.5095 401.9508 0.0000 YEAR*SPECIES 3 1.5174 0.2136 0.4022 0.1341

ERROR 10.4245 118 0.0883

> LS MEAN SE Ν

YEAR\$ =Green93 0.1810 0.0376 63 YEAR\$ =White93 -0.0603 0.0376

DEP VAR: F2 N: 126 SQUARED MULTIPLE R: 0.634 ANALYSIS OF VARIANCE

SOURCE SUM-OF-SQUARES DF MEAN-SQUARE F-RATIO P

YEAR\$ 8.1904 8.1904 24.0951 0.0000 1 61.3694 SPECIES\$ 20.4565 60.1807 0.0000 3 0.7252 3 0.2417 0.7112 0.5472

ERROR 40.1103 118 0.3399

YEAR*SPECIES

LS MEAN SE N
YEAR\$ =Green93 0.4970 0.0738 63
YEAR\$ =White93 -0.0148 0.0737 63

GREEN MT.

<u>Question.</u> Does any locality in Green Mt. have significantly higher levels? Yes. The details are available in the analysis material following this summary.

The first step was figuring out what data could be used. After reviewing the available data, it was determined that the locality comparisons would have to be done in pieces because of the zero counts in many of the design cells. However, it was also determined that a common MSE could be used for each of the principal components. The pooling calculations are given below.

In this analysis data from two relatively clean localities in northen Minnesota (NE of Tofte and Mt. Rose) have been included for comparison with the Green Mt. data.

Principal component 1

Green Mt (no Kelly Stand, no Little Mud Pond, all species): SSE = 0.12775 df = 32 MSE = 0.00399

Principal component 2

Green Mt (no Kelly Stand, no Little Mud Pond, all species): SSE = 1.62988 df = 32 MSE = 0.05093

1993 Green Mt. analyses

TABLE OF SPECIES\$ (ROWS) BY LOCALITY\$ (COLUMNS)
Bourn P Kelly L Mud Lye Br Mt. Rose Tofte TOTAL

C. rangi | 3 0 3 0 4 | 14 E. mesom | 3 0 3 3 3 3 | 15 H. physo | 3 3 3 3 | 18 3 P. sulca | 3 3 | 16 3 3 3 1 TOTAL 12 6 9 10 13 13 63

LEVELS ENCOUNTERED DURING PROCESSING ARE:

SPECIES\$ <u>H. physodes</u> <u>P. sulcata</u>

LOCALITY\$ Bourn Pond Kelly Stand L Mud P Lye Brook Mt. Rose Tofte

DEP VAR: F1 N: 34 SQUARED MULTIPLE R: 0.976 ANALYSIS OF VARIANCE

SOURCE SUM-OF-SQUARES DF MEAN-SQUARE F-RATIO P

SPECIES\$ 0.01475 1 0.01475 4.87834 0.03792 LOCALITY\$ 2.25738 5 0.45148 149.32763 0.00000 SPP*LOCALITY 0.43227 5 0.08645 28.59496 0.00000

ERROR 0.06651 22 0.00302

DEP VAR: F2 N: 34 SQUARED MULTIPLE R: 0.957 ANALYSIS OF VARIANCE SOURCE SUM-OF-SQUARES DF MEAN-SQUARE F-RATIO SPECIES\$ 6.41304 110.83403 0.00000 6.41304 1 LOCALITY\$ 18.09785 5 3.61957 62.55561 0.00000 5 0.53714 9.28322 0.00007 SPP*LOCALITY 2.68571 0.05786 ERROR 1.27296 22

There are significant interactions between species and locality effects. Therefore, will assess locality differences by species.

C. rangiferina

LOCALITY\$ Bourn Pond Lye Brook Mt. Rose NE of Tofte

DEP VAR: F1 N: 14

ANALYSIS OF VARIANCE

SOURCE SS DF MS F P

LOCALITY\$ 0.38851 3 0.12950 27.07522 0.00000

ERROR 0.43526 91 0.00478

LS MEAN SE N

FISHER'S LSD TEST. MATRIX OF PAIRWISE COMPARISON PROBABILITIES:

Bourn Pond Lye Brook Mt. Rose Tofte

Bourn Pond 1.00000

Lye Brook 0.01360 1.00000

Mt. Rose 0.01573 0.00000 1.00000

NE of Tofte 0.00000 0.00000 0.00035 1.00000

DEP VAR: F2 N: 14

ANALYSIS OF VARIANCE

SOURCE SS DF MS F P

LOCALITY\$ 3.06925 3 1.02308 19.72326 0.00000

ERROR 4.72035 91 0.05187

FISHER'S LSD TEST. MATRIX OF PAIRWISE COMPARISON PROBABILITIES:

Bourn Pond Lye Brook Mt. Rose Tofte

Bourn Pond 1.00000

Lye Brook 0.42398 1.00000

Mt. Rose 0.00000 0.00000 1.00000

NE of Tofte 0.00002 0.00000 0.39579 1.00000

E. mesomorpha

LOCALITY\$ Bourn Pond Little Mud Pond Lye Brook Mt. Rose NE of Tofte

DEP VAR: F1 N: 15

ANALYSIS OF VARIANCE

SOURCE SS DF MS F P

LOCALITY\$ 4.50638 4 1.12659 235.53640 0.00000

ERROR 0.43526 91 0.00478

LS MEAN SE N

FISHER'S LSD TEST. MATRIX OF PAIRWISE COMPARISON PROBABILITIES:

0.03752

3

Bourn Pond L Mud P Lye Brook Mt. Rose Tofte

0.50393

Bourn Pond 1.00000

LOCALITY\$ = Tofte

Little Mud P 0.00000 1.00000

Lye Brook 0.00087 0.00000 1.00000

Mt. Rose 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000 1.00000

NE of Tofte 0.00000 0.00000 0.00134 1.00000

DEP VAR: F2 N: 15

ANALYSIS OF VARIANCE

SOURCE SS DF MS F P

LOCALITY\$ 3.55436 4 0.88859 17.13046 0.00000

ERROR 4.72035 91 0.05187

LS MEAN SE N

LOCALITY\$ = Bourn Pond 0.64152 0.11735 3 LOCALITY\$ = Little Mud P 3 1.59556 0.11735 LOCALITY\$ = Lye Brook 1.15521 0.11735 3 LOCALITY\$ = Mt. Rose 1.89405 0.11735 3 LOCALITY\$ = NE of Tofte 1.92556 0.11735 3

FISHER'S LSD TEST. MATRIX OF PAIRWISE COMPARISON PROBABILITIES:

Bourn Pond L Mud P Lye Brook Mt. Rose Tofte

Bourn Pond 1.00000

Little Mud P 0.00000 1.00000

Lye Brook 0.00694 0.02000 1.00000

Mt. Rose 0.00000 0.11192 0.00014 1.00000

NE of Tofte 0.00000 0.07931 0.00008 0.86584 1.00000

H. physodes

LOCALITY\$ Bourn Pond Kelly Stand Little Mud Pond Lye Brook Mt. Rose NE of Tofte DEP VAR: F1 N: 18 ANALYSIS OF VARIANCE F SOURCE SS DF MS Ρ LOCALITY\$ 1.79279 5 0.35856 74.96331 0.00000 ERROR 0.43526 91 0.00478 LOCALITY\$ = Bourn Pond 0.71642 0.02725 3 LOCALITY\$ = Kelly Stand 1.63222 0.02725 3 LOCALITY\$ = Little Mud P 0.82381 0.02725 3 LOCALITY\$ = Lye Brook 0.77825 0.02725 3 LOCALITY\$ = Mt. Rose 0.90847 0.02725 3 LOCALITY\$ = NE of Tofte 3 1.17039 0.02725 FISHER'S LSD TEST. MATRIX OF PAIRWISE COMPARISON PROBABILITIES: Bourn P Kelly L Mud P Lye Brook Mt. Rose Tofte Bourn Pond 1.00000 Kelly Stand 0.00000 1.00000 Little Mud P 0.06036 0.00000 1.00000 Lye Brook 0.27647 0.00000 0.42181 1.00000 Mt. Rose 0.00100 0.00000 0.13728 0.02337 1.00000 NE of Tofte 0.00000 0.00000 0.00000 0.00001 1.00000 DEP VAR: F2 N: 18 ANALYSIS OF VARIANCE Ρ SOURCE SS DF MS LOCALITY\$ 12.58768 5 2.51754 48.53360 0.00000 **ERROR** 4.72035 91 0.05187 LS MEAN SE Ν LOCALITY\$ = Bourn Pond -0.91377 0.14557 3 LOCALITY\$ = Kelly Stand 1.56525 0.14557 3 LOCALITY\$ = Little Mud P -0.66679 0.14557 3 LOCALITY\$ = Lye Brook 3 -0.69559 0.14557 LOCALITY\$ = Mt. Rose -0.53926 3 0.14557 LOCALITY\$ = NE of Tofte 3 -0.32132 0.14557 FISHER'S LSD TEST. MATRIX OF PAIRWISE COMPARISON PROBABILITIES: Bourn P Kelly L Mud P Lye Brook Mt. Rose Tofte Bourn Pond 1.00000 Kelly Stand 0.00000 1.00000 Little Mud P 0.18746 0.00000 1.00000 Lye Brook 0.24375 0.00000 0.87728 1.00000 Mt. Rose 0.04697 0.00000 0.49458 0.40275 1.00000 NE of Tofte 0.00198 0.00000 0.06643 0.04711 0.24427 1.00000

P. sulcata

LOCALITY\$ Bourn Pond Kelly Stand Little Mud Pond Lye Brook Mt. Rose NE of Tofte

DEP VAR: F1 N: 16

ANALYSIS OF VARIANCE

SOURCE SS DF MS F P

LOCALITY\$ 0.94581 5 0.18916 39.54807 0.00000

ERROR 0.43526 91 0.00478

	LS MEAN	SE	N	
LOCALITY\$	= Bourn Pond	0.56485	0.03641	3
LOCALITY\$	= Kelly Stand	1.17645	0.03641	3
LOCALITY\$	= Little Mud P	0.95306	0.03641	3
LOCALITY\$	= Lye Brook	0.72191	0.06307	1
LOCALITY\$	= Mt. Rose	1.12243	0.03641	3
LOCALITY\$	= NE of Tofte	1.22854	0.03641	3

FISHER'S LSD TEST. MATRIX OF PAIRWISE COMPARISON PROBABILITIES:

Bourn Pond Kelly L Mud P Lye Brook Mt. Rose Tofte

Bourn Pond 1.00000

Kelly Stand 0.00000 1.00000

Little Mud P 0.00000 0.00015 1.00000

Lye Brook 0.05226 0.00000 0.00475 1.00000

Mt. Rose 0.00000 0.34130 0.00349 0.00000 1.00000

NE of Tofte 0.00000 0.35871 0.00000 0.00000 0.06343 1.00000

DEP VAR: F2 N: 16

ANALYSIS OF VARIANCE

SOURCE SS DF MS F P

LOCALITY\$ 8.49655 5 1.69931 32.75967 0.00000

ERROR 4.72035 91 0.05187

	LS MEAN	SE	N	
LOCALITY\$	= Bourn Pond	-0.64099	0.13039	3
LOCALITY\$	= Kelly Stand	1.65607	0.13039	3
LOCALITY\$	= Little Mud P	1.01513	0.13039	3
LOCALITY\$	= Lye Brook	0.54234	0.22585	1
LOCALITY\$	= Mt. Rose	0.57177	0.13039	3
LOCALITY\$	= NE of Tofte	0.75481	0.13039	3

FISHER'S LSD TEST. MATRIX OF PAIRWISE COMPARISON PROBABILITIES:

Bourn P Kelly L Mud P Lye Brook Mt. Rose Tofte

Bourn Pond 1.00000

Kelly Stand 0.00000 1.00000

Little Mud P 0.00000 0.00086 1.00000

Lye Brook 0.00002 0.00005 0.07553 1.00000

Mt. Rose 0.00000 0.00000 0.01919 0.91113 1.00000

NE of Tofte 0.00000 0.00001 0.16494 0.42125 0.32759 1.00000

SIGNIFICANT LOCALITY DIFFERENCES High to low (L to R).05

C. rangiferina

Lye Brook Bourn P Tofte Mt. Rose

Tofte Mt. Rose

E. mesomorpha

Tofte Mt. Rose L Mudd Lye Br Bourn P

H. physodes

Kelly <u>Bourn P Lye Br L Mudd</u> Mt. Rose Tofte

L Mud Mt. Rose Tofte

P. sulcata

Kelly <u>Tofte Mt. Rose L Mud</u> Lye Br Bourn P

Statistical Analysis Conclusions

The levels of most elements are lower in the White Mt. wildernass areas than in the Lye Brook Wilderness. When comparing localities within the White Mt. wilderness areas, Mt. Eisenhower was significantly higher in two species than the other localities. The levels at Wamsutta Trail were lowest in two species. Elemental levels in the White Mt. wilderness areas have slightly decreased since the 1988 study.

CONCLUSIONS

Most elemental levels in most species show similar or lower levels in 1993 than in 1988. No single locality showed higher levels in all lichen species. The levels in White Mt. lichens are lower than in Green Mt. lichens in 1993. These data show that there is no degradation in the air quality since 1988 and there might have been a slight improvement. Statistical analysis of the data support these conclusions.

RECOMMENDATIONS

The original recommendation that elemental analyses be restudied every five years is again made here. Continued periodic study will help to determine whether the decrease is due to random changes or part of a trend with some significance.

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